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COMPOUNDS

Group Art Unit: 1614

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Applicants submit herewith the Preliminary Amendment; Extension for Response; Sequence Listing in document and diskette formats; Information Disclosure Statement and Substitute Form 1449 with attached References; and a return postcard.

Charge Amylin Pharmaceuticals, Inc.'s Deposit Account No. 010535 in the amount of \$235.00.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Madam:

In response to the communication mailed October 23, 2001, Applicant submits herewith a sequence listing in paper and computer readable form, an Information Disclosure Statement and a preliminary amendment. This response is being filed with a one-month extension of time fee. If, however, any fee should become due or credit become payable during the pendency of these proceedings, the Examiner is authorized to charge or credit the same to deposit account number 101535.

Applicant requests that the Examiner enter the following amendments and enclosed sequence listing prior to substantive examination.

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